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Dear Sister Lemon Tea.

Dear Sister -

I will try and write You a few lines, But feel very
sorry for the Sisters. To hear
that the are Sick, I am sorry
that I can not Take time and
Visit the Sisters myself. But
Now first, I am glad that
Brother is up a week ago
little Mary, But now are tak
Sick Again. Do if the way
Brother Comes to See I will
I shall be glad when

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It might also mean that I
would pay the premium
when he gets it. But
I have already paid
all I shall pay for
all of his benefit.
If I owed him a debt.
that fell due I
would pay it. But
I have no way to know
how old he is now
I have not
heard from him
since he
left home. I
suppose he knows
it would be for the Amount
Amount I carried previously
That above

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If you can use the Biz telegraph "Yes"

P.S.

at my expense. Sept 8th 1908

P.S. — Jordan sick & worried too.

Dear Burdette,

If you will make it $500 more you can have it. Figuring Interest, cost for lost & what I'd had to borrow on acct of this being tied up there, & all. You realize that I'm not making but very little there. For the figure you 1st named I owed not near $1/4 $500 or anything like it. But if Jim in trouble & sick & likely to soon be out of employment & have to wait 2 more years for relief.

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The money & first shipment but it
about $2000 not Counting Typewriter
Besides you are not forgiving any profits
for me at all first 14 months.
why I dont see any thing
ahead for me, I was
under an altogether different impres-
sion. If I kept my place
& health, I didnot expect
to ask for assistance.
But if I have to be
a Partner or a Beggar
Basis Side better Dt you
take it. For done all I
Could for you, Dug up my
last Dollar which wasnt
much. But it assisted
you then. Now if you can
do this please Arrange

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for me to get the money
ah an early date. As Sir
very much worried &
more than ever since
receiving yours,
However, I want you
to have the Biz. & I
want you to own it
all since you offered
yourself.
Now if you can use the
Opal why Sil send it at
the Cost price, I will pay
for making up new Deed to
you. your Cousin with love.

David.

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Dear Burdette,

I hastily pened you a few lines from Ellis today. I believe I incorporated in my letter to you that if we traded I would pay for making the deed. But since we have the correct form all that would be required would be for me to fill in a form to you just like Ellis did to me. Quitly while I feel that we could carry on a partnership biz without little if any friction. Yet since you have made the proposal to buy I have the money to buy with why I see no reason

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why you should not own it
all with perhaps a few more
weeks effort you will own it
all in fee Simple.
However from this Catalogue
you are putting out & having
no other Debts whatever!
& with almost 4000 in Cash
a few days ago, & enough
outstanding bills to pay
all you'r had to pay,
Why I do trust you'll try
& pay me so I can use
it to good advantage if
we do trade.
I was thinking that perhaps
I could have rested up this
winter from the Inv. Biz, &
assisted you with the stock,
Now Bundle if you want me
to participate just a little

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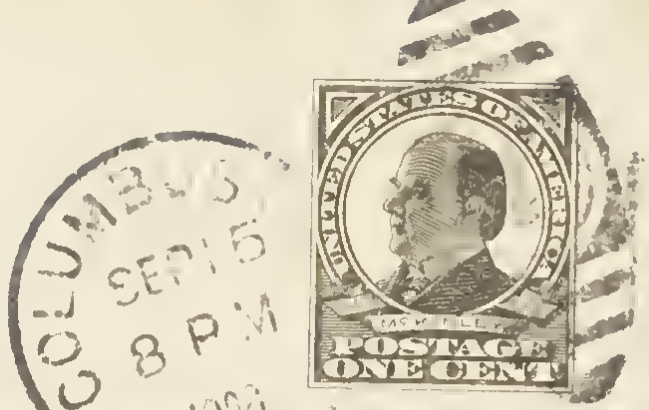
bit in the profits. Surely you will allow me $3,000 for half of what we have, Especially with the biz. fully established &c,
Now you can telegraph me at my expense, If we close the deal, The word "Yes" will signify the meaning at this end, I will love to see,

Yours &c, Dan'l

P.S. I have that $10 Eagle, If we track please don't overlook, D. H.



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I hear get over next
Sabbath. I can explain
to you I feel sure why we
have had our last Correspon-
ding. It will all Come
out A.M. I guess in next
year or so.
yrs for Success
B. J. Myer.

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+ques you are to.

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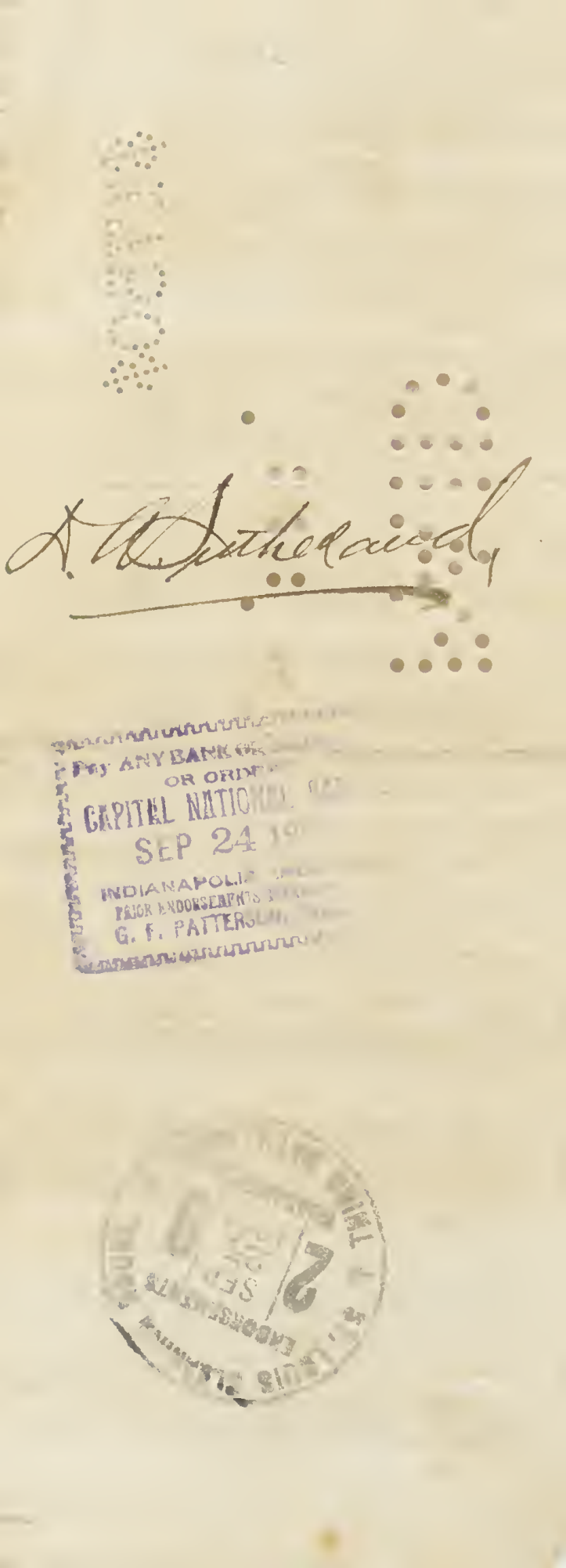
Pay to the order of O. A. Sutherland $1750 00/100

One Thousand Seven hundred fifty ⁄⁄ Dollars

J. F. Johnson Mgr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Dear Everett

On account of the urgent need of a 2nd hand I am practically compelled to refer a couple of girls to the Kirk office. You see the work is accumulating and I can't keep pace with it by the ordinary means which is so heavy a year any Tuesday. Trusting for kind words, Count you Con- sider your letter of about I feel sure to give my work in the office. The Chief has your letter at N.Y.

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Dear Sir, I have received
with the Printed Cy
Memo. Dated 26th ult
but for, have not to
hear from you
until Sept 1st, I
stand I promised Cyrus
I would pay Sept 1st
I will make my payment
as good as it can be
made, I hate to give up
my position, But I think
Control "fair" so it goes, I
will be out in a few days,
Satisfactorily yours

St.Louis, Sep. 19 1908 No. 372

The National Bank of Commerce in St.Louis

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Pay to the order of D. A. Sutherland $750 00/100

Seven hundred fifty # Dollars

E. J. Simmons

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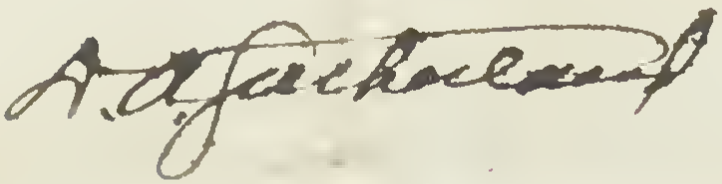
PAY TO THE ORDER OF O. A. Sutherland $250 00/100

Two hundred fifty ⁴⁄₁₀₀ DOLLARS

W. J. Thompkyl



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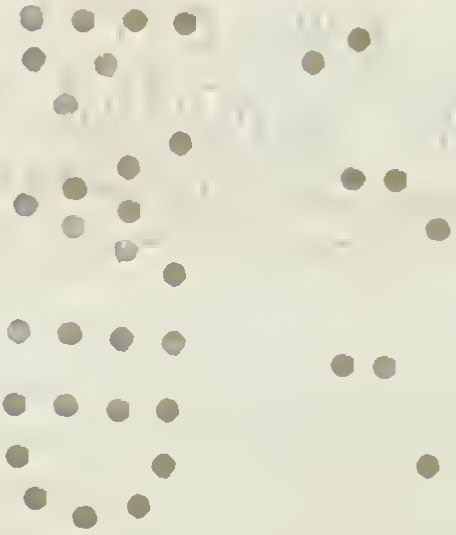

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David A Sutherland

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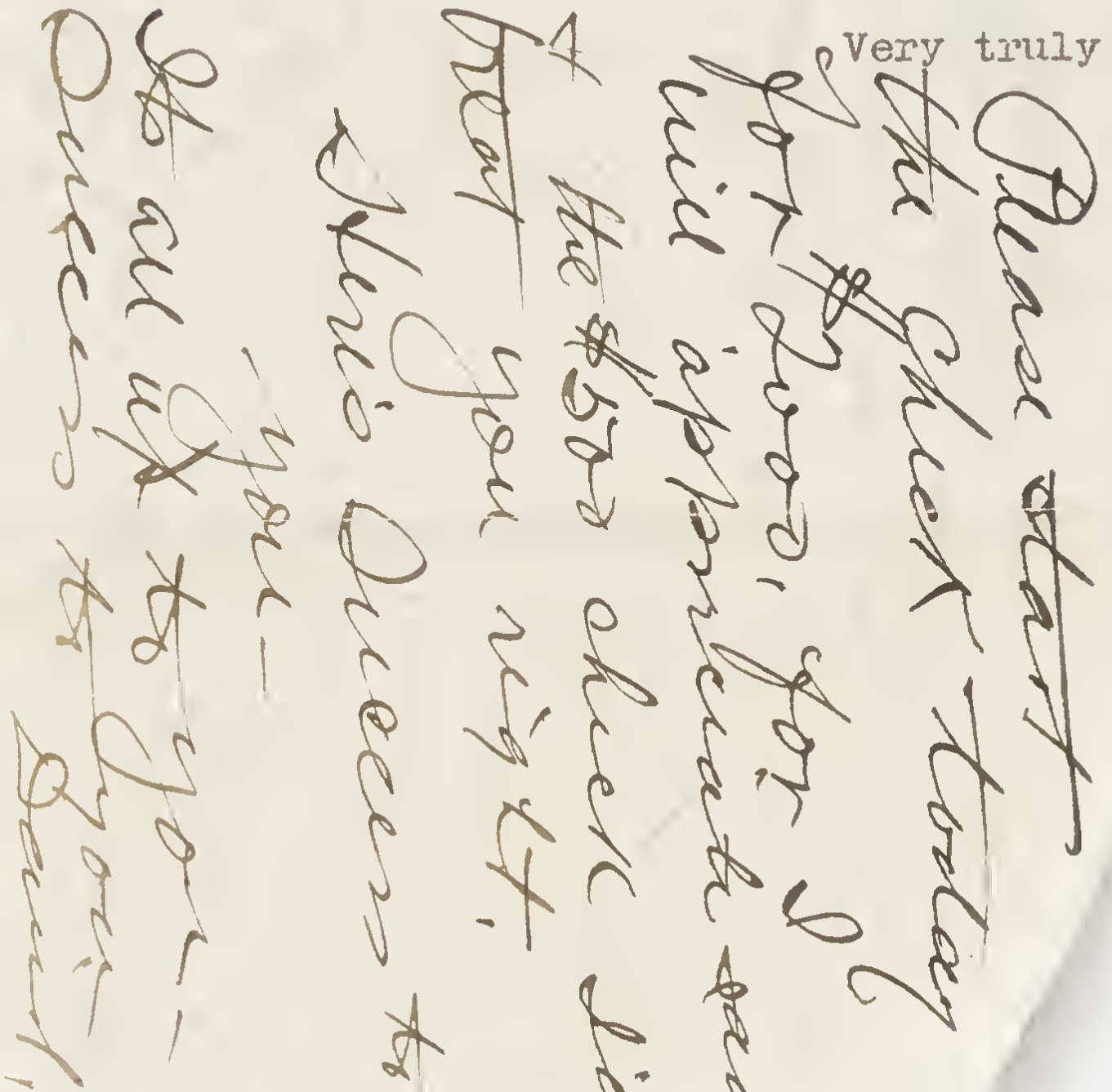
Dear Lindlett: At once
mail me 2 checks one
for $2000, payable when it
arrives & one for $500
which I can deposit &
draw upon in course of
perhaps one month, or
if possible I'll leave it
longer, why you can have
it. This is strictly at your
own price. I need the
money badly else I would
not ask — (over)

you not take special interest in this?

our hands?

I send my best regards.

Very truly you